

Table XI-7: Proportion of the Population Classified as a Visible Minority, 1996, 2001 and 2006

	1996			2001			2006		
	Total Population	Visible Minority Population	Proportion of Population Classified as a Visible Minority, per cent	Total Population	Visible Minority Population	Proportion of Population Classified as a Visible Minority, per cent	Total Population	Visible Minority Population	Proportion of Population Classified as a Visible Minority, per cent
Canada	28,528,120	3,197,480	11.2	29,639,030	3,983,845	13.4	31,241,030	5,068,095	16.2
New Brunswick	729,625	7,995	1.1	719,710	9,425	1.3	719,650	13,345	1.9
Saint John	124,215	2,555	2.1	121,340	3,160	2.6	120,875	3,805	3.1
Fredericton	78,530	2,315	2.9	80,685	2,440	3.0	85,070	3,790	4.5
Québec	7,045,085	433,985	6.2	7,125,580	497,975	7.0	7,435,900	654,355	8.8
Montréal	3,287,645	401,420	12.2	3,380,645	458,330	13.6	3,588,520	590,375	16.5
Ontario	10,642,795	1,682,045	15.8	11,285,550	2,153,045	19.1	12,028,895	2,745,200	22.8
Ottawa	755,495	107,795	14.3	795,255	137,725	17.3	835,470	162,405	19.4
Sudbury	158,935	2,840	1.8	153,890	3,130	2.0	156,395	3,275	2.1
Toronto	4,232,905	1,338,095	31.6	4,647,955	1,712,530	36.8	5,072,075	2,174,070	42.9
Guelph (CMA)	104,140	8,340	8.0	115,770	12,380	10.7	126,085	16,025	12.7
Wellington County	1,685	0.0	0.0	184,840	13,760	7.4	198,635	17,225	8.7
Guelph (City)	-	-	-	104,705	12,155	11.6	114,115	15,800	13.8
Kitchener	379,345	33,815	8.9	409,765	43,770	10.7	446,495	61,450	13.8
London	393,905	30,330	7.7	427,215	38,300	9.0	452,575	50,300	11.1
Oakville	127,520	13,255	10.4	143,685	18,630	13.0	164,485	30,315	18.4
Saskatchewan	976,615	26,945	2.8	963,150	27,580	2.9	230,850	14,865	6.4
Saskatoon	216,445	11,250	5.2	222,635	12,415	5.6	953,845	33,900	3.6
Alberta	2,669,195	269,285	10.1	2,941,150	329,930	11.2	3,256,360	454,200	13.9
Calgary	815,985	127,555	15.6	943,310	164,895	17.5	1,070,295	237,895	22.2
Lethbridge	62,190	4,860	7.8	66,270	3,830	5.8	93,685	5,575	6.0
Medicine Hat	55,870	1,595	2.9	61,120	2,030	3.3	67,760	2,030	3.0
Red Deer	58,975	2,945	5.0	66,560	3,545	5.3	81,370	5,815	7.1
British Columbia	3,689,755	660,545	17.9	3,868,875	836,445	21.6	4,074,380	1,008,855	24.8
Vancouver	1,813,935	564,600	31.1	1,967,480	725,655	36.9	2,097,965	875,300	41.7
Victoria	300,035	22,915	7.6	306,970	27,185	8.9	325,060	33,870	10.4

Source: Statistics Canada Census 1996, 2001 and 2006

1996 data, "Profile of Census Divisions and Subdivisions, 1996 Census":

<http://www12.statcan.ca/english/census96/data/profiles/DataTable.cfm?YEAR=1996&LANG=E&PID=35782&S=A>

2001 data, Community Profiles

<http://www12.statcan.ca/english/Profil01/CP01/Index.cfm?Lang=E>

2006 data, Community Profiles

<http://www12.statcan.ca/english/census06/data/profiles/community/Details/Page.cfm?Lang=E&Geo1=PR&Code1=01&Geo2=PR&Code2=01&Data=Coun&SearchText=Canada&SearchType=Begins&SearchPR=01&B1=All&Custom=>